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CITY OF SEATTLE FAST ON ROCKS

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Three Steamers Failed to
Stir Vessel!

WAS ON HER WAY HERE

Passengers Sent Ashore and Billed at Local Hotels By
Steamship Co.

STEAMER City of Seattle, Captain O'Brien, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, lies hard and fast on the rocky ledges of the east side of Trial Island, where she ran aground almost at full speed when on her way to Victoria from Seattle early yesterday morning, soon after 4 o'clock, and the combined efforts of two powerful ocean-going tugs and the wrecking steamer Salvor failed to float the vessel at high water last night.

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FLOODS DO DAMAGE
TO FISH HATCHERIES

Recent Unprecedented Rise in
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Communications have been received from Mr. J. P. Babcock, deputy commissioner of fisheries, who is at present attending the session of the fisheries commissioners and of the conference which has been arranged between that body and the fishery commissioners of the state of Washington, indicating that Mr. Babcock is about to return with all speed to the fishery commissioners, leaving probably on the 22nd instant, in consequence of news recently received from Seton lake, announcing an exceptionally heavy rainfall in those districts with destruction to wells, causing the loss of spawning salmon and eggs to an extent almost disastrous to this season's undertaking. Although a few more fish may possibly be procured before the end of next month, the outlook is considered most discouraging. Similar news to that from the Seton hatcheries comes from Binkenhead, Harrison and Pitt.

Relative to the joint fisheries commission the members of the Washington commission reached Vancouver from Seattle on the 19th instant, and the first meeting took place in the Board of Trade rooms at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. A satisfactory agreement is anticipated. The Washington delegates were entertained at dinner last evening at the Hotel Vancouver.

Mr. Babcock's story of the flood was as follows:

"It was all the more regrettable because the prospects for a successful season's operations at Seton lake were never better than they are now, than they were up to the 7th of this month."

Then the floods and the escape of the compounded fish.

"We had fully fifteen thousand fish in Seton lake by placing our weir in Portage creek, which connects Seton and Anderson lakes. The rains which began on the 7th, became a deluge on the 8th, and brought a sea of water, rocks, trees and mud from the mountain side to the west of the creek, completely damming

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BAKERS COCOA, per tin. 35c.
C. A. COCOA, per tin. 30c.
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GROUND CHOCOLATE, per lb. 30c. and 35c.
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FAREWELL TO
COUNTESS GREY

Her Excellency and Party Embark on Quadra to Join Earl Grey on West Coast

Yesterday morning at 11:30 Her Excellency the Countess Grey, accompanied by her daughter, Lady Evelyn Grey, and attended by Mr. MacLennan Gover, embarked upon the D. G. S. Quadra, which was in readiness at the wharf to convey this portion of the vice regal visitors to join His Excellency the Governor-General at Alert Bay on board Her Majesty's Dusun, which is now en route to Victoria, to which vessel the ladies will be transferred on arrival.

There were down on the quay to bid farewell to the distinguished guests, Mrs. Dunsmuir, Miss Bessie Dunsmuir, Capt. Drury, Mr. H. J. S. Muskett and Mr. A. Brown.

Her Excellency, who is now perfectly restored to health after her recent indisposition, was engaged in animated conversation with her late hostess and friends, and appeared to regard the prospect of the excursion with pleasurable anticipations, under such ideal conditions as those afforded by a calm, unstratified sea, a clear, unclouded sky, and a wealth of warming sunshine.

During their stay in Victoria, the skating rink, on Fort street, has proved a great attraction to the ladies, and it was there that Lady Evelyn Grey spent the early portion of the morning, prior to departure, in the enjoyment of the fashionable pastime which has gained such a hold upon Victoria society.

SNAKES AND WILD ANIMALS

Responsible for an Enormous Human Death Rate in India.

New York, Sept. 20.—A special cable despatch to the Times states that a statistical paper in India just issued shows that in 1904 there were killed in that country by snakes and wild beasts 24,634 persons, 21,800 by snakes, 366 by tigers, 399 by leopards, and the rest by other animals. The number of cattle killed was 98,582.

SANTO DOMINGO IS UNEASY

And President Roosevelt May Soon Have to Write Another Letter.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 10.—Just as the Cuban insurrection appears to be on the point of a harmonious adjustment the United States government is confronted with a new outbreak in Santo Domingo. Commander Southerland, senior American naval officer in Dominican waters, reported to the navy that an insurrection is about to break out in Santo Domingo at any time. He says that the government has sent a force of 400 men to Monte Christo. The situation is declared to be acute. He fears that an uprising may take place.

He requests that the Dixie, which is now in Cuban waters, be returned to Santo Domingo. When the advisability of withdrawing any of the naval forces from Dominican waters was discussed in case of a crisis in the Cuban revolt, a suggestion was made that it might give encouragement to the insurgents in that island. It was finally decided, however, that the Dominican government had matters well in hand, and that no change was to be apprehended with the present fleet of gunboats in those waters.

The official belief is that the agency that has been back of the Cuban insurrection may be responsible for the threatened uprising in Santo Domingo, or that the insurgents, not understanding the completeness of preparation by the United States to move an enormous fleet of battleships to land an army on Cuban soil, imagine that a revolt can be successfully conducted under cover of the Cuban operations.

The navy department will at once order a proper naval strength to Santo Domingo. The temper of the government will not brook any uprising in or about Cuba just at present.

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The loan of \$200,000 and the interest thereupon to be provided for by an annual sinking fund to extinguish the debt within fifty years, the total amount to be raised annually by rate being \$9,000.

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On the motion of Ald. Stewart, seconded by Ald. Hall, the bylaw was passed accordingly, the date of election being fixed to take place on the 4th of October, in Room 9 of the Public Market, Cormorant street, from 9 a. m. until 7 p. m., W. W. Northcott to be the returning officer.

A short time ago we published an article recommending to our readers the new discovery for the cure of Dyspepsia. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the claim Stuart made regarding the wonderful curative properties of the remedy have been abundantly sustained by the facts. People who were cautious about trying new remedies advertised in the newspapers and were finally induced to give Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets a trial were surprised and pleased to find that they received a single package costing but 50 cents at any drug store made a complete cure, and in every instance the most beneficial results were reported. From a hundred or more received we have space to publish only a few of the latest and most assured of readers who receive so many complimentary letters that we shall publish each week a fresh list of genuine, uncollected testimonials and never publish the same one twice.

From James Yennelton LaCross, Wis.: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are doing me more good than anything I ever tried and I was so pleased with results that I gave away several boxes to my friends, who have also had the same benefits.

From Jacob Anthony, Port Murray, New Jersey: I have taken Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets with the best results. I had Dyspepsia for 6 years and had taken a great many of medications but had no relief.

I take Stuart's and I feel good. I am a farmer and lime burner and I heartily recommend to everyone who has any trouble with his stomach to use these Tablets.

From Mrs. M. K. West, Preston, Minn.: I have received surprisingly good effects from using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I gave some of my last box to a friend and she had the same good results.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a certain cure for all forms of Indigestion. They are not claimed to be a cure-all, but are prepared for stomach trouble only, physicians and druggists everywhere recommend them to all persons suffering from Nervous Dyspepsia, sour or acid stomach, heartburn, bloating or wind on stomach and similar disorders.

WATERWORKS BY-LAW
READY FOR RATEPAYERS

Will Be Submitted to Vote of
Electors at an Early Date

A special meeting of the city council was held last evening in the council chamber, city hall. Present: His Worship Mayor Morley, Aldermen Goodacre, Stewart, Pell, Hall, Fullerton, Yates, Vincent and Douglas.

It was resolved to proceed first with the business of the board of health. The minutes of the last meeting of the board were accordingly read and adopted. The report of the medical officer to the board was then made and in reply to His Worship, Dr. Robertson said that, speaking generally, the health of the city was exceptionally good and compared favorably with the similar period last year.

Ald. Fullerton asked the medical officer concerning the health of Chinatown and elicited a reply of the most favorable nature.

Ald. Fullerton stated that on visiting Chinatown on Saturday last with a party of sightseers he had found the conditions most unsatisfactory and claimed that fire, building and ventilation bylaws were being openly disregarded. There was general overcrowding and he considered the place a blot on any civilized city.

Sanitary Inspector Wilson explained the position and said that whilst there was no doubt much overcrowding at times, it was outside the scope of the bylaws and that there was no disease.

Alderman Fullerton drew attention to the matter of pigsties and the diversion of drains at Spring Ridge and it was shown in reply that the matter was receiving attention.

The city clerk read a communication from the secretary of the Victoria Development and Tourist association as follows: The reception committee of the Victoria Tourist association extend a cordial invitation to the mayor and aldermen to be present at a reception tendered to the Canadian Manufacturers' association at the Government buildings, James Bay, on Monday evening, Sept. 24th from 9 o'clock to eleven. The committee would also be pleased to have them visit to the B. C. Marine Railway and the Victoria Machinery Depot with the members of said association on the following morning. Cars will leave the corner of Government and Yates streets at 9:30 o'clock.

Received and the invitation accepted with thanks.

A communication was read from the clerk of the Oak Bay municipality suggesting a meeting of the representatives from all the municipal councils to consider the matter of the speed of motor cars with the object of drafting bylaws which would ensure uniformity of treatment in the various districts. The date proposed being Wednesday the 3rd of October. The meeting to be held in the city hall, Victoria.

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A short time ago we published an article recommending to our readers the new discovery for the cure of Dyspepsia. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the claim Stuart made regarding the wonderful curative properties of the remedy have been abundantly sustained by the facts. People who were cautious about trying new remedies advertised in the newspapers and were finally induced to give Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets a trial were surprised and pleased to find that they received a single package costing but 50 cents at any drug store made a complete cure, and in every instance the most beneficial results were reported. From a hundred or more received we have space to publish only a few of the latest and most assured of readers who receive so many complimentary letters that we shall publish each week a fresh list of genuine, uncollected testimonials and never publish the same one twice.

From James Yennelton LaCross, Wis.: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are doing me more good than anything I ever tried and I was so pleased with results that I gave away several boxes to my friends, who have also had the same benefits.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN

JOHNSON—In this city, on the 20th inst., the wife of E. E. Coady-Johnson, of a son. (Vancouver and Nanaimo papers please copy.)

DIED

WHITE—At the residence of her parents, 21 Quebec street, on the 19th instant, Isabella Jane, beloved wife of John L. White, and youngest daughter of William and Elizabeth Wilson; aged 29 years. The funeral will take place from the above residence on Saturday, September 22, at 3:15 p. m., and at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church at 3:30 o'clock. Friends please accept this intimation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
(Too Late for Classification)

WANTED—An improver to the business must be sober and industrious. Good reference for right company work. Apply with reference, stating wages, P. O. Box 5, Victoria. \$21

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WANTED—Position as housemaid where other servants are kept. Advertising can be highly recommended, and have long satisfactory references. Box 478 Colonist. \$21

WANTED—Sewing: Children's fine wear, infants' layettes (hand-made), plain sewing, mending, etc. Work will be called for. Apply Box 447 Colonist. \$21

WANTED—Well furnished modern house with four or five bedrooms; good location. Helsternan & Co. \$21

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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY—A manager to take charge of office and also do work with a company established twenty years, doing a business of \$200,000 per year. A person who is responsible and expressive in meeting people and can vassay, who will not object to appointing agents and working with them in the territory. To such a person we will pay a reasonable salary, a commission, and also a further interest in the business of said territory that will bring in a permanent return and income. Address The Home Magazine, Box 44, Indianapolis, Ind. \$21

LOST—On 16th, black cocker spaniel, answering name "Sport," beyond Colwood on Happy Valley road. Finder please notify S. Churton, Excelsior Bakery. \$21

FOR SALE—To close an estate, we offer for sale two cottages, one hundred feet frontage, on First street, sewerred and in very fair condition. Particulars on application. Helsternan & Co. \$21

FOR SALE—Handsome upright piano, Nordheimer grand, nearly new. 12 Quebec street. \$21

FOR SALE—Lady's bicycle, Redbird, in good condition—\$15. Mrs. Drew, 116 North Pembroke street. \$21

FOR SALE—Dynamo; four pole type, 80 amperes, 900 rives, 220 volts, 320 lights, 10 c. p.; new; made by T. B. Benton & Son, La Crosse, Wis.—\$200. E. Drew, 116 North Pembroke street. \$21

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TRADES CONGRESS

STILL IN SESSION

Delegate From the American Federation of Labor Addresses the Meeting

WANT PRESTON TO BE DISMISSED

Cowichan Indians Make a Strong Plea For Assistance From Convention

The Dominion Trades Congress resumed its sittings in the Board of Trade building yesterday morning sharp at 9 o'clock and undertook the business before them with renewed vigor after the excursion on the day previous. During the day some very important measures for the welfare of unionism were disposed of.

At the afternoon session the congress was addressed by T. A. Rickett, fraternal delegate from the American Federation of Labor. At the conclusion of the address he was presented by the congress with a handsome diamond cravat pin in fraternal greetings with the members of the A. F. of L.

Before any business was taken up at the morning session, R. P. Pettipiece wanted to know what was going to be done about the report in the Times, by which he had been misquoted in remarks which he had made previously. He said that he had interviewed the reporter, who had flatly refused to retract the statements, and further, that he would not report him further.

President Verville said that he could not make the reporters give a correct account of the proceedings, but he would ask that they should report as accurately as possible.

R. P. Pettipiece wished to know what the report was.

R. P. Pettipiece then referred to the statement that had been imputed to him, that "there were only three white men in Calgary, the remainder were Englishmen."

Delegate James Simpson suggested that Mr. Pettipiece should go to the editor and it would likely be corrected.

Delegate Beamish moved that the reporter should retract or retire from the room.

Credentials of J. W. Robertson of Ashcroft were presented and he was given his seat at the congress.

Delegate W. F. Gray gave notice that he would move that Section 5, Article 5, be amended to adopt the ballot system of voting.

Delegate Walker of Winnipeg moved that the election of officers and the place of meeting be decided this (Friday) afternoon.

An invitation was received from Mayor May of Edmonton to hold the annual convention in that city next year.

The following resolutions were submitted and referred to the committee on resolutions:

No. 52, by Delegate Pegler—Suggesting that a conciliation board be formed between workmen and employers.

No. 53, by Delegate Bragg—In favor of public funds being spent on public works and civil service on lines of Canadian citizenship, instead of the present method of favoritism.

No. 54, by Delegate S. A. Crabb—Protesting against military law in the shape of Northwest Mounted Police being used in labor disputes.

No. 55, by Delegate A. W. Von Rehlin—Declaring that all open shops be treated as unfair in every respect.

No. 56, by Delegate Albert Surgus—That the congress give their support to the authorities of Colorado and do all in their power to bring the real murderer of ex-Governor Steunenberg of Idaho to justice.

No. 57, by Delegate W. Gabriel—Asking support to secure a bi-weekly pay for all wage-earners in Canada.

No. 58, by Delegate J. C. Watters—Asking a repeal of the election bylaw requiring an election deposit.

No. 59, by Delegate James Simpson—That the congress urge all wage-workers to use the union label on all printed matter.

No. 60, by Delegate Pegler—That the congress place a Western and Eastern organizer in the field for the coming year.

No. 61, by Delegate W. R. Trotter, Winnipeg—That correspondents of the Labor Gazette be workingmen and not superannuated party men and political hacks.

No. 62, by Delegate J. Burgess—That an agent of this congress be appointed in Great Britain.

No. 63, by Delegate J. Burgess—That

a secretary-treasurer be appointed to devote his whole time to the duties of the congress.

No. 64, by Delegate G. F. Gray—That the congress affirm the necessity of creating government labor employment agencies throughout Canada.

No. 65, by Delegate J. A. Kinney—That the governments of Alberta and Saskatchewan be requested to insert a fair wage clause in all government contracts.

No. 66, by Delegate A. Henderson, Calgary—That a commission be appointed to deal with all matters between ministers of the crown and parties affected.

No. 67, by Delegate G. Franco—That the executive be asked to report on some proportional representation scheme.

No. 68, by Delegate A. Fraser—That all boilers and engines used in government steamers be made in Canada.

No. 69, by Delegate Stevenson, Moose Jaw—Endorsing the international wage commission to be held in July next.

No. 70, by Delegate A. H. Dutton—That the secretary of the congress should devote all his time to the work of the congress.

No. 71, by Delegate Robert Todd—That the congress endorse the formation of the Provincial Allied Printing Trades in Vancouver.

No. 72, by Delegate C. K. Forrest—Protesting against lobbyists being allowed in the Dominion and provincial parliaments.

No. 73, by Delegate J. H. Barnett—That the congress give its moral support to the moulder now locked out at London, Ont.

No. 74, by Delegate J. F. Grassick—That the word "afidavit" be used instead of "declaration" in all fair-wage contracts.

No. 75, by Delegate C. Slivertz—That the congress endeavor to have only British subjects employed on the fish traps.

No. 76, by Delegate M. Brinkman—That all street cars be provided with an aisle or passage way.

No. 77—Protesting against the decision in the London, Ont., street railway case.

No. 78, by Delegate H. Selburs—That the American Federation of Labor be instructed to use its best efforts to bring about a settlement between the Cowichan Indians Union to put into effect any requests to this Congress, and to the government.

No. 79, by Delegate A. G. Perry, Vancouver—That all provincial matters be referred to the provincial executive committee for report next year.

Report of Resolutions Committee

The committee on resolutions were then asked to report, and did so as follows:

Resolution No. 10—Reported favorably, which was adopted.

Resolution No. 11 was also adopted, but Delegate Beach (Vancouver) took occasion to state that the post office clerks in Vancouver received \$1.20 per day for the first six months, and after five years \$1.75. He also stated that the average day worked by post office clerks in Vancouver was 10 hours and 35 minutes, instead of 8 hours.

President Verville stated that it was the intention of the Dominion government to introduce a measure to increase the letter carriers' wages at the next session.

No. 12—Reported favorably. Report adopted.

No. 14—Reported unfavorably.

Delegate Pegler was in favor of having the resolution passed excluding Asiatics, and thought that an effort to bring in settlers from the Old Country should be made.

Resolution No. 22 was adopted; 23 was reported unfavorably.

Delegate Stevenson was of the opinion that the resolution should receive the endorsement of the Congress. He could not see any reason why the Labor Gazette should not be recognized.

Delegate Landers said the committee did not desire to criticize or approve of any labor gazette.

Delegate Barnett was in favor of adopting the report of the committee.

Delegate Gray was at first opposed to rejecting the motion, but since he had heard the remarks of the committee he had changed his mind.

R. P. Pettipiece suggested that the resolution be referred back to the committee to be taken up with the other resolution on the same matter.

P. M. Draper was in favor of having the Labor Gazette maintained under the department of labor. He did not wish to have the statement go out that they wished the Gazette stopped as it would give the agents for the Canadian Manufacturers' association an opportunity to dry down the Gazette before the legislature. He was in favor of supporting the Gazette and so maintain a labor paper. He moved that it be referred back to the committee, which was agreed to.

Resolutions 24 to 28 inclusive, 31, 32, 33, 38, 39, 40, were reported on favorably and adopted.

Resolution No. 35, That Mr. Preston should be dismissed from the public service was reported favorably by the committee.

Delegate Adamson could see no reason why the prosecution of Mr. Preston should be dropped.

Delegate Draper said that it would be impossible to secure a conviction of Mr. Preston.

Solicitor O'Donahue stated that it would be impossible to convict Preston for his work in the Old Country.

The report was adopted.

Resolutions Nos. 41 to 48 were also adopted.

Resolution No. 48, Condemning the action of the Dominion government in appointing Hon. James Dunsmuir, Lieutenant-governor of British Columbia.

Delegate Sherman said he was sorry he was a Britisher when he saw some of the actions that had been done in the coal mines. He said that the miners from Ladysmith and Nanaimo were not represented, but would have been if they dared to. If the laborers in the coal mines were given an opportunity they would organize, but they dared not. He referred to the Extension mine, saying that when the mine was opened a poor man who owned a tract of land placed it on the market, but the miners were ordered by James Dunsmuir that they had to remove to Ladysmith and buy land owned by Mr. Dunsmuir. He denied the right of any man to order another man where to live, and he thought that there was never a greater slap at organized labor.

The report was adopted.

Delegate Todd was in favor of endorsing the blue label and no other.

Delegate Pettipiece was not in favor of endorsing anything but the blue label, and pointed out that the Socialists were a political body and had nothing to do with any concerted action to endorse any label, but he was in favor of the blue label.

The congress were not in favor of endorsing all union labels, but only the blue label.

Delegate Simpson from the chair voted in favor of endorsing the blue label.

Resolution No. 80 by P. M. Draper, was submitted as follows: "That the Congress endorse the idea of sending labor delegates to parliament in the interests of working people; That the platform of principles of this Congress be recommended as the platform; That the Provincial executives be requested to summon a convention of trade unions."

An adjournment was then taken for lunch.

On resuming after lunch the Congress was addressed by J. Elliott, a member of the Cowichan Indians. In his address he said he had been sent to the convention by the Cowichan Indians with a view of obtaining the assistance of the Congress. He pointed out that the laws of the land provided that all who could read or write had a right to vote, but this was denied the Indians. If this was to be continued he considered that they would be a detriment to the country. (Voices No. no.)

He then referred to the aliens that were coming into the country and said the Indians were not in favor of allowing them to enter without a high head tax. He said that the Indians were capable of competing with white men, and still they could not get employment, but had to journey to the American side to seek work. This did not think was right; for when they were away their homes were overrun by cattle and destroyed. He pointed out that the government were willing to give them land but it was the worst land in British Columbia. The Indians of the Cowichan wanted to break the bonds that bound them and asked the assistance of the Congress to help them. He said that he was a carpenter and was able to work with any other man in the trade, but still he could not secure the same wages as a white man. He said the Indians had made an effort to have the government at Ottawa do something, but all the answer they received was that they had plenty of land, but this land was no good. Regarding the educational advantages, he said the Indians were sent to a reformatory school, and were made to work all day and only given four hours education. This was not enough for, Indians who had to learn the language as well as learn how to work with white people. He pointed out that some of the union men were not consistent and referred to the time when there was a strike at the coal mines at Nanaimo and the work was being done by non-union workmen, but the steamers were unloaded by union workmen. This he did not think was right. (Applause.)

It was moved by S. L. Landers, United Garment Workers, Hamilton, That be it resolved that a committee of two be appointed by the chair to communicate with the brother from the Cowichan Indian Union to put into effect any requests to this Congress, and to the government.

Clause 9—Your committee was glad to note the successful result of your labors in the matter of the dismissal of W. T. R. Preston and regret to notice the appointment of that gentleman to another position in a different branch of the public service and think the government's action is worthy of the condemnation by this Congress.

Clause 10—We recommend that the solicitor be advised to prepare the necessary amendments to the act and that the president be requested to present same at the next session.

Clause 11—We recommend some action as preceding clause.

Clause 12—Your committee recognize the importance of this subject and would ask that the incoming executive be instructed to give their best energies to this question and request the government to appoint a commission to gather data and take such other action as will bring this matter to a satisfactory conclusion.

Clause 13—We recommend that the committee to the Senate be instructed to bring their bill to the attention of the Senate.

Clause 14—We recommend that Congress to affirm their previous resolution on the abolition of the senate.

Clause 15—We approve the action of the committee in this attempt of a minister exercising such authority as curtails the freedom of the press.

Clause 16—We endorse the committee's action and regret that we have been unable to have the pleasure of the company of members of the British Labor party with us at this convention.

Clause 17—The committee recommend that legislation be sought along the lines of the Natal Act on all Alien immigration.

Clause 18 is covered by solicitor's report.

Clause 19—We recognize the importance of this need and would recommend to the favorable consideration of Congress that the committee of ways and means be instructed to take action as will bring this matter to a satisfactory conclusion.

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MR. FIELDING'S SEAT.

Some few weeks ago Mr. Fielding, the finance minister in the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, was unseated for corrupt practices on the part of some of his agents during the last federal election, and he is now without a seat in the House of Commons. But this is only a small part of Mr. Fielding's troubles, for although it was announced at the time that the personal charges against the Finance Minister had been withdrawn, it is now known that this announcement was incorrect. The judges who tried the case did, it is true, dismiss the personal charges against Mr. Fielding, but from this part of the judgment an appeal has been taken to the supreme court of Canada, and this appeal is being pressed with all possible vigor. Should this appeal succeed, Mr. Fielding will be disqualified from sitting in parliament for seven years. But whether it succeeds or not, no new election can be held until a decision is given on the appeal, so it is just possible that, should parliament meet at as early a day as has been announced, the Finance Minister may not be in his seat to present the new tariff to the House.

This is not the first time Mr. Fielding's case has been before the supreme court of Canada. At an early stage of the proceedings in the trial of the petition against his election, the two judges of the supreme court of Nova Scotia who were trying the case threw out the petition on a technicality. From this action an appeal was taken from the supreme court of Canada, which court unanimously reversed the decision of the Nova Scotia judges and ordered the petition to be again placed on the docket for trial. This second appeal to the supreme court of Canada, in which it is sought to disqualify Mr. Fielding, is therefore regarded with considerable uneasiness by the political friends of the Finance Minister, and the Liberal press of his province is in an exceedingly bitter frame of mind against those who are taking the appeal.

While giving evidence during the course of the trial of the case, Mr. Fielding acknowledged that after the 1900 election Mr. E. M. Farrell, the present speaker of the Nova Scotia legislature, had presented to him for payment a number of election bills, which after some protest and delay he had paid. He refused to state the amount of these bills or the service for which the money was paid, so it is inferred by Mr. Fielding's opponents that the amount must have been large and the object an illegal one, or he would not have refused to answer the questions asked in regard to it. At a later stage in the trial it was proved that in the election of 1904 Mr. Farrell had again handled large sums of money in Mr. Fielding's interests. The petitioner seeks to prove that since money was paid to Farrell by Mr. Fielding to be used in paying illegal election bills, and since Farrell in the next election spent large sums of money corruptly, there was clear evidence that he was doing it in pursuance of an understanding that he would be reimbursed, as he was in 1900. The judges refused to permit the cross-examination of Mr. Fielding regarding this matter, and it was impossible to get at the bottom of the transaction, but this ruling of the judges has also been appealed.

Mr. Farrell, it might be remarked, went into hiding when it was found that the case was to be tried, and he could not be served with a subpoena to appear and give evidence—certainly a strange position for the speaker of a legislature to be placed in.

When we examine the blue books

and see the enormous sums of money Mr. Fielding annually spends in building wharves and breakwaters all along the shore of his constituency, many of them where they serve but little purpose, it seems strange indeed that, in order to secure his election, votes have to be bought at from \$3 to \$5 apiece for him, as was proven during the trial of the petition against him.

In two constituencies—that of Halifax, where R. L. Borden was defeated, and in Mr. Fielding's constituency—the trials of the election petitions lifted the veil just a little, giving a faint glimpse of the means used to secure the full sweep made in Nova Scotia at the last election. In Halifax the two Liberal members escaped through a legal technicality, but not before one of the judges had declared that there was ample grounds for voiding the election. In Queens-Shelburne, which was the only other case brought to trial, Mr. Fielding is unseated and he is in some danger of being disqualified. At best his present position is not a happy one, as he is now out and he cannot bring on a new election until the supreme court of Canada decides the appeal regarding his disqualification.

THE DEMAND FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The recommendation of the Trades and Labor Congress in favor of the establishment of technical schools throughout Canada, is a very important one. Nothing that the body in question has discussed or passed upon is more important. The great tendency of our modern school systems is towards theoretical and academical instruction, leading to no definite goal. Their lack of practicality is admitted, and the necessity of supplementing them with schools which are practical and definite in their aims has become apparent. The future of this country is industrial. We are exceedingly interested in the development of our resources. A system of education which takes no stock of the practical problems before us, that is to say, does not in some measure prepare the youthful mind to grapple with them, is essentially defective in that respect.

One difficulty which stands in the way of the Dominion government taking up the establishment of technical schools is that education lies outside the domain of its jurisdiction. Under Section 93 of the British North America act, it belongs to the class of subjects which are exclusively relegated to the provinces. There is nothing, however, to prevent the Dominion parliament making an appropriation, which could be divided up among the various departments of education to be devoted to the purposes of technical education. The Dominion could not control the expenditure of the money or shape the policy of the departments; but it could assist financially and thus render it possible for the provinces to take up the work recommended. Needless to say, the burden of education, as at present, is too great to permit the provincial governments taking on technical schools in addition.

LABOR AND LIBERALS.

There are not wanting signs that the labor party in Canada will be entirely divorced from Liberal party before the next general elections.

It is practically decided that there shall be a labor party which will run its own candidates in every constituency in which there is a labor element. The creation of a department of labor and the appointment of a minister of labor, did much to cement an alliance which was all but complete in 1890. This was the sop to the workingman, for his support, whereas the government went on in its general policy to defy all the principles laid down by the labor leaders. Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues were quite willing that Sir William Mulock should have the word "American" in speaking of the United States that almost universal custom has now sanctioned it both within and without that country. It is true that the people of the United States are no more entitled to the title "American" than we are. Strictly speaking, the Indians of America are the only race entitled to be called American. They alone belong to the soil. Notwithstanding these facts, however, it has been practically settled that for all time to come the population of the United States shall be "Americans" and the people of all Canada shall be known as "Canadians." Canadians, it is satisfactory to know, do not care to be called "Americans." There was a time when some of them were ashamed of their country, and did not object, when abroad, to be regarded as "Americans." That was years ago. Now that Canada is a name to conjure with abroad, Canadians as a class are careful to have outsiders distinguish between them and their cousins to the south. They feel that the latter are quite welcome to the title which has by almost general consent been bestowed upon them.

Ratepayers should not forget to turn out and vote for the park in North Ward on Monday next.

The gulf between the programme of Labor and that of Liberalism is deep and organic. The Liberal party was founded upon sheer individualism, the unreasoning selfish individualism of Cobden and Manchester. The opposition between Labor and Liberalism is involved in the opposition between Labor and Capital. There is no such essential differentiation between Unionism and Labor. For, frankly, Unionists can afford to make concessions to Labor, and history demonstrates that honorable concessions have been made in the past. Whiggism never took serious hold of the Tory party, and the blood is quite

clear of it now. The ideals of Tory democracy horrified the steadfast old Whigs twenty years ago, and in their hearts the inheritors of that Rump expect their opponents to carry the legislation which they are afraid, and ashamed, to carry themselves. The platform of the extreme Labor party includes certain changes at which the hair of the Whig bristles. There is payment of members, protection for trade, unions, graduated taxation, state feeding of school children, the nationalization of certain public services, and land settlement. To most of these the orthodox Liberal is more opposed than the average Tory. The tariff-reformer has, in short, more sympathy with the Labor-Socialist than the Liberal has. Who was it who nationalized the telephones? And who communized the London water supply? What divides the Unionist from the Labor party at present is the inherited sentimentality of the latter's leaders."

What is true of Great Britain is more or less true of Canada, although, of course, dividing lines are somewhat different. The Liberal is a politician who professes a great deal of sympathy with the workingman, but never does anything practical for him. He is like the well-meaning philanthropist who feeds the poor on tracts and Sunday School literature. It is excellent provender in its way, but not satisfying. It was the Conservatives who gave to Canada the National Policy which has been in force for nearly thirty years. It has built up a great system of industrialism, which has given prosperity to Canada, and today affords remunerative employment to a great army of workers. The Conservative is not effusive towards the cause of labor, he may even be honest enough to disagree with some of its tenets, but he does things.

THE TERMS "BRITISH" AND "AMERICAN."

A correspondent of the Toronto Mail and Empire writes protesting against the use of the words "English," as applying to people of Great Britain generally, and of "American," as applying to the people of the United States. The use of these words is common in this connection, and, as to its propriety, there has been considerable discussion. The Englishman most frequently speaks of the "English" nation, while the Scotchman never does. To call the British "English" is to touch a sore spot in the Scotchman and his vigorous protests from time to time have succeeded in correcting the habit of the Englishman to a considerable extent. Distinguished authorities have defended "English" as being correct. The Angles were the dominant of the tribes which came over to England in early times from the forests of Germany, and "English" is the language of the nation. As one writer puts it, however, while it is not indefensible, it is not necessary. As there are, speaking in the limited provincial sense, Englishmen, Irishmen, Scotchmen and Welshmen, it is necessary that there should be some term applicable to all these people in the aggregate. The most appropriate, of course, is "British." It avoids all sectional or racial prejudices.

Coming to the term "American," which has been appropriated by the people of the United States, there is reasonable objection to its exclusively applying to them; but we are up against a condition which practically compels us to submit, and so even Canadians are gradually falling into line. There is no word that has been, or apparently can be, coined to designate the people of the United States as a whole, "Yankee" is local and is resented by a large portion of the population. "United States" is not euphonious and is considerable of a mouthful. The people of Great Britain and foreigners have so long used the word "American" in speaking of the United States that almost universal custom has now sanctioned it both within and without that country. It is true that the people of the United States are no more entitled to the title "American" than we are. Strictly speaking, the Indians of America are the only race entitled to be called American. They alone belong to the soil. Notwithstanding these facts, however, it has been practically settled that for all time to come the population of the United States shall be "Americans" and the people of all Canada shall be known as "Canadians."

Canadians, it is satisfactory to know, do not care to be called "Americans." There was a time when some of them were ashamed of their country, and did not object, when abroad, to be regarded as "Americans." That was years ago. Now that Canada is a name to conjure with abroad, Canadians as a class are careful to have outsiders distinguish between them and their cousins to the south. They feel that the latter are quite welcome to the title which has by almost general consent been bestowed upon them.

Ratepayers should not forget to turn out and vote for the park in North Ward on Monday next.

As had been anticipated, Mr. W. T. Preston came in for a good deal of attention at the hands of the Trades and Labor Congress. It was not what you would call flattering attention, either.

The most remarkable man in Canada today is Sir W. P. Howland, one of the remaining Fathers of Confederation. He traveled the other day from Guelph to Toronto to lay the corner stone of the new National Club building. At 96 he was able to perform his part of the ceremony with credit to himself, although he did not feel equal to the task of making a long speech.

NONE IN SEATTLE

A lady purchased half a dozen bottles of Shotbolt's Cucumber Cream to take back with her, "for there is nothing like it there," for feeding, healing and softening the skin. TWENTY-FIVE CENTS A BOTTLE AT

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He climbed down from the pay car, with his month's wages still in his hand. "Sir, I'm just feelin' right Pat, with all we have there," said the boy.
"And what does this signify to me?" answered Pat. "Just two looks, wan whin I get it, and wan whin I give it to the old woman."

PEACE RIVER GOLD.

Ottawa Free Press.

While the assayer has not as yet confirmed the reported discovery of gold in great richness in the Peace River country, the world's occasion to the news of it, the miners have proved that Gold was taken from the soil and sand of the Peace river over a century ago by the officers and employees of the Hudson's Bay company, but mining was carried on spasmodically and in a primitive manner with the historical "grizzly." When the extension of the line to the Peace River, Columbia River districts in British Columbia, in the fifties of last century, had halted, says the Winnipeg Telegram, adventurers, prospectors and miners from their camps listened to the tales of trapping and Indians of a wonderful gold-producing river on the eastern side of the mountains north of the distinctively prairie country.

To those who listened to the tales and believed and who ventured in small parties through the almost unknown passes of the northern Rockies in those days, the settlements of Saskatchewan such as Edmonton and St. Albert owe their beginning.

The arguments that revised the order of mining prospectors on the continent by alluring eastward in pursuit of the alluring gold found "colors" and every indication that free gold was present in considerable quantity in the Peace River and its tributary mountain streams.

But the valley of the Peace river was much further away in the sixties of last century than it is at present, and gradually colonized by ranchmen and the longing for a bigger country, when the few scattered members of their kind could give in a country where Butler had chosen the title of his greatest book, "The Great Lone Land," grew unsupportable.

Gradually one by one they abandoned their gold for gold in the golden porch of the cathedral church of St. Albert, and the Hudson's Bay fort at Edmonton, they became farmers or traders, married and forsaken forever the fascinating pursuit that had lured them to and fro through the fastnesses of the Rockies.

These argonauts, few in number now,

are growing old, but it probably will be a source of satisfaction to them to know that the dreams of other days will be realized at last, although not of pecuniary benefit to themselves.

THE MAGAZINE FARMER.

I used to like the old place,
But now I ain't no use;
It's laid out inartistic;
And it's tacky as the deuce;
You see, I've been a-reading,
Till envy makes me green,
Of artistic agriculture
In a farming magazine.

It tells you how your pigpen,
Should be in aesthetic lines;
And your Loony Fourteen henhouse
Should be draped in ivy leaves;
I'm goin' to sell the old place—
Its architecture's bum,
And I'll buy one of them dream-joints
In that magazine, by gosh!

I'll raise no crops plebian,
But I'll put in plants and shrubs;
I'll do no harvest sweatin'
Leave that for old-time aubs!
I may not last a season,
For I'm goin' to be a farmer
On the magazint plan!

—Denver Republican.

SHORT ALLOWANCE.

Philadelphia Post.
The London Tribune tells how a gentleman met a brewer's drayman on the road. Being of a kindly disposition, he at once engaged in conversation. "I suppose," he inquired, "you men get a lot of drink during the day?"

"Well, guv-nor," was the response, "some days we get a matter of thirty glasses or so, and some days we gets quite a lot."

—The ELECTRIC EEL AS A SOURCE OF POWER.

One of the freak suggestions emanating from the daily press during the "silly season" is that the electricity generated by the Gymnotus electricus, or electric eel, be devoted to some useful purpose. Once, it is said, it was suggested that a place, if placed in a zinc tank, would give off enough electricity to run an automobile for 24 hours. Ten thousand of them in jars would generate enough power to run a three-car train, and 300,000 would be an ample supply for the largest ocean liner. Regarding the valuable data the Electric Review (New York, August 18) has the following to say:

"If one may work backward from these figures, it would seem that one of these eels has an average power of about one-tenth of a kilowatt, or, say, one-tenth of a horse power, and this figure corresponds to a goby, fairly with our memory of pictures that used to be given in the old school geographies. We have a very vivid recollection of a picture showing a number of frantic horses driven into a pool of water by a band of Indians and there attacked by these electric eels. In those pictures there were at least ten eels to each horse."

"Figuring on this basis, the gymnotus does not seem to be a very compact generator of electrical energy. These eels grow to considerable size, often five or six feet long, but assuming that each eel has an average length of three feet and a diameter of two and one-half inches, each eel would occupy a space of about one-eighth of a cubic foot. Our 300,000 eels for the ocean liner would therefore require a space of twenty feet deep, forty feet wide, and sixty feet long solidly with the eels packed in, which would give a cubic space for ship and tall rooms, there would not be much space left within the vessel for cargo. Moreover, since these eels only constitute the generating part of the equipment, space would have to be found for the motors. It would seem to be better plan to break the eels to the brittle, and teach them to tow the vessel, thus saving the vessel the expense of feeding them.

"These conditions, unfortunately, are not so favorable for their use on land, for the 3,000 eels estimated to be necessary to run an interurban car would fill a space of 200 cubic feet without allowing any room for wriggling. It is interesting to note that these eels are capable of giving a most terrible shock. The voltage generated in their organs is more than 1,000 volts, and the quantity involved in the discharge is probably small. Moreover, it seems to be quickly exhausted. The eels are capable of a violent, but short-lived, action.

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SAANICH EXHIBITION A PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Peninsular Farmers Make a Good Display of the Agricultural Products and Stock

The thirty-ninth annual exhibition of the North and South Saanich Agricultural society, was brought to a successful close yesterday. The exhibition opened on Wednesday afternoon, and the judging of all the agricultural and household exhibits took place. During the first day, the fair was only visited by local ranchers. Yesterday the judging of the stock took place. A special train which left the V. & S. depot at 1:30 yesterday carried a large crowd of passengers, and on arrival at the Saanich grounds, it was noticeable that all the ranchers and residents of that district were out in full numbers and the grounds presented a very animated appearance. This year's fair compares very favorably with those of previous years, and except in very few instances the exhibits were shown in great numbers. In cases where the display was not representative, it was owing to the extremely dry summer, which the south of the Island has experienced. The stock was all shown in open stalls around the edges of the exhibition field, while in the large central hall the smaller exhibits, both agricultural and household, were displayed. Miss Thain's orchestra was present and throughout the afternoon gave several excellent selections.

Turning to the right as the grounds are entered the poultry exhibit was noticeable, but this was one of the displays which were not very representative. Two fine Guinea fowl were shown by Haldon Bros. which took 1st and 2nd prizes, and there were also some good

specimens of poultry shown by Mrs. Bradley-Dyne. Jersey cattle came next, a bull owned by S. Fairclough being the prize-winner. Mrs. Bradley-Dyne was again very prominent in the Jersey cattle section and carried off several first prizes. C. H. Gillatt took all the honors for his show of Holstein cattle, and Haldon Bros. were very prominent with their Polled Angus and Ayrshires. On the opposite side of the field, several new sheep pens had been erected and the entries in this section were very numerous. J. S. Shopland exhibited a Southdown ram and obtained a first prize. The same sheep took first place at both the New Westminster and Portland fairs last year. He also showed a fine yearling ram of the same breed, which in all probability will carry off several firsts at the various exhibitions. The horse section was very ordinary and in several instances there were only single entries. Lim Bang, a well known Chinese of this city carried off a first with his splendid buggy horse and was also successful in winning the competition for a two-year-old gelding.

A special prize for the best lady driver given by Messrs. Sea & Gowen, was won by Miss G. Bates.

The pig section was fairly representative, the greater part of them being Tamworths.

On entering the large central hall the exhibits of a smaller nature were to be seen in profusion. The display of vegetables, carrots, potatoes, mangolds, turnips and onions, was certainly a great credit to the district. The competition for the heaviest squash brought forth two entries, one weighing about 65 lbs. Beets, vegetable marrow, pumpkins and cabbages were to be seen in plenty and in these lines this district is seldom excelled. A display of cucumbers by B. C. Fernie, of Tod Inlet, was very noticeable; they were of the snake variety, some specimens being about four or five feet long. Great competition for the prizes in fancy cake cooking, showed the rivalry between the Saanich ladies and each competitor felt certain her cake would take the first. The apple competition was not quite up to the mark, considering the name which this district has made for itself, but this is on account of the dry season. Several competitors, however, had on view some very fine specimens, and a display by T. A. Bryden, from stock supplied by Layritz nursery, elicited much admiration. The same grower also showed a mixed collection of fruits, which took the prize given by the Farmers' Institute. J. W. Martindale won the prize for largest apples with a very good display, and Tanner Bros. were very prominent among the prize winners.

Other fruits were equally representative of the resources of the district and call for very favorable notice. J. W. Martindale was very prominent in the pear section with some splendid samples. Quite a nice display was that of the flowers, and some very fine chrysanthemums were shown. The competition in cut dahlias and geraniums was also keen.

The ladies' work section was almost all won by the Brethour families and for the neat work of both fancy and plain sewing they deserve especial credit. Taken as a whole it may be stated that the fair was a complete success, and the society has now held so many, that the whole programme from opening to closing went off in a very satisfactory manner.

Miss Thain's orchestra was also en-

gaged at the Sidney pavilion last evening, when a ball was an event of some importance. A large number of young Victorians left by the 7:30 train, and returned at a late hour.

TRADES CONGRESS STILL IN SESSION

(Continued from Page Three.)

past few years, and that is, while only a short time ago the general offices of the International Unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor were distributed among men residing in the United States, today there is not an organization of any account but has chosen a Canadian to represent them on their general councils and executive boards. This is to me an evidence of the influence and status the Canadian Labor movement has added to that of the American Federation of Labor.

"Although more or less a stranger in your midst, I sat at home from the time I left Toronto with the eastern delegation—more so when I met the Montreal and Ottawa delegates at Winnipeg, and traveled with them and the Winnipeg delegation here. I assure you that since being here I have been made to feel it is not that the piece of paper, the credential which I brought from the president of the American Federation of Labor, that impels you to greet me. I have been made to feel that there is a strong tie, a bond, between you, the American Federation of Labor, and the American Labor movement, that no move, be it by friend or foe, can sever.

"I know by personal knowledge that your trials in this country are not unlike ours across the border. Government by injunction, threats and intimidations, spies inside and outside; unscrupulous politicians of both parties, and many other efforts have, and are being, made to defeat your ends. But the complexion of this Congress, your vitality and aggressiveness, is evidence that you thrive on opposition.

"I am delighted that you have led the way in the Labor-Political movement, and have a president who represents a labor constituency in the House of Commons; and I trust your movement will develop along these lines until you will be such a power in your local and federal legislatures that both parties will fear you. The American Federation of Labor has put its hand to the plow, and is determined to show its enemies that the wage-earner will stand no longer idly by and see Labor bills pigeon-holed in committee, while those of the capitalist interests carry by large majorities.

"I stand instructed by one of the largest conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor to bring and extend to you fraternal greetings; and Mr. President, when I shake you by the hand I hope will extend these greetings from millions of wage-earners and trades-unionists—yes, and all right-thinking people, across the border to your Congress, its affiliated unions, and the Canadian wage-earner in general.

"When I say one of the most important conventions, I mean it in every sense, for the last convention was the 25th anniversary of the American Federation of Labor and the ascendency to the presidency of that grand old man, Samuel Gompers, and was one of the most representative in the history of the American Federation of Labor.

"I repeat: I am proud to bring you greetings from an organization representing over two million and a half wage-earners, and am more than proud that I am permitted to be the instrument to convey these fraternal greetings to an organization in another country and under another flag. I desire to say: I trust as we grow older our filial love for each other will grow stronger; and both the American Federation of Labor and the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada may, in the near future, capture the political situation and place representatives in the legislative halls of this continent: That your difficulties will be numerous in securing this end there is no doubt, but with the united co-operation of your East and West in the interests of the wage-earning classes, you are bound to be victorious.

"In conclusion, let me repeat: You not only have the sympathy and well wishes of your colleagues across the border, but at any time that tangible assistance is needed, it shall not be withheld; and on behalf of the American Federation of Labor, I wish you, fraternally, the best success in your future efforts." (Applause.) T. A. RICKERT,

Fraternal delegate, American Federation of Labor.

Vice-President Simpson in replying to the address said that when he first approached the Labor Hall in Boston and looked on the many faces he caught some of the inspiration of the Union of which he forms a part. No matter where you go you will not find a man more capable of governing a body of men than President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor.

If they have national unionism it will mean a death blow to unionism in the Dominion of Canada, and if the Congress ever separates from the Federation in the United States it will be a great mistake and it is only the fraternal greetings that will keep the organization complete. He said after he had made the trip to the West he could see a stronger organization for the Federation and he desired to say the presence of Delegate Rickert would do much good for the wage workers in both the Dominion and the United States. He hoped that the visits would continue to do good and thanked the delegate on behalf of the Dominion Congress for his greetings. (Applause.)

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President Verville then called on Delegate Todd to condemn the fraternal delegate and pass the condemnation which he had to pass over.

Mr. Todd said he had the most pleasant duty to perform that had ever been his pleasure. He referred to his visit to the convention in Pittsburg and hoped that the time would soon come when all the federations in the world would be combined. He said it had been his duty to keep a close watch on the fraternal delegate and he had done so and had to report despite the report of the "Hatchet Club" that he could find no condemnation in him.

He hoped that when Mr. Rickert went away he would take pleasant memories with him and in response to the wishes of the many friends of Delegate Rickert he was called on to present him with the slight token of the esteem which he handed Mr. Rickert in the shape of a diamond cravat pin.

Delegate Rickert in accepting the gift said he hoped that it was given not only because he was the fraternal delegate, but also because he had not made himself too unpopular. He said in accepting the gift it would carry many pleasant memories and would al-

so do his best to promote unionism. Applause.

An adjournment was then taken till 8 o'clock.

On resuming the sitting in the evening, Secretary-Treasurer Draper was called on to present his report. The report was very clearly set out, and at times the reading was interrupted by applause. The report in a condensed form was as follows:

It is gratifying to be in a position to state that the revenue has increased by \$749.85 and the membership by 5665 during the year. The affiliation of the plumbers, printers and bookbinders from their headquarters affected a decrease in the membership in Ontario of 1308; Quebec, 1496; New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, 162, making a total decrease of 2367. However, this is covered by a gain of 3254 in affiliation from international headquarters, thus maintaining our position in the old provinces. Coming to the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, the figures indicate that we had 2353 members last year, compared with 7729, an increase of 5376, the direct result of a little organization work and the holding of the convention in Victoria. In the extreme west, District No. 18, United Mine Workers of America, affiliated their 2500 members, through their representative, Mr. Sherman. I desire to especially welcome the miners to our congress and to express the hope that they will remain with us in the future.

A statement was also submitted showing that the balance on hand had increased from \$63.76 in 1899 to \$177.32 this year. Since last session 3517 letters have been issued, 2407 of which were circulars.

No. of Unions. Members. Amount. Ontario 123 10,621 \$1,847.03 Quebec 28 2,415 403.29 Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan, C. 78 7,729 1,124.54 New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, P. E. I. 12 617 121.77 Balance on hand, Sept. 20, 1905, \$698.93 From per capita tax, charters and supplies 4,445.77 American Federation of Labor 503.00 Advertisement of Ames Holden, Montreal 100.00 Total \$5,744.70 Expenditure \$3,970.00

Balance on hand \$1,774.62

Secretary Draper gave a detailed explanation of the many transactions that had taken place during the year. The report was received and adopted amid applause.

The report of the organizer, Delegate Trotter, was also received, showing unionism throughout Canada to be in a very flourishing condition. This report was received and adopted.

The resolutions committee also met to discuss the many resolutions that were presented.

The congress will meet again at 9 o'clock this morning.

This evening a smoking concert will be held in the A. O. U. W. Hall. A splendid programme has been arranged and an enjoyable evening is anticipated. No admission fee will be charged, and a cordial invitation is extended to all union workmen and their friends.

Local News

Seamen's Institute.—The manager of the Seamen's Institute acknowledges with thanks the receipt of reading matter during the month of August from the following: Mrs. Wm. Atkins, Mrs. F. W. Foster, ((Simco street), Vancouver); Mrs. R. Maynard, Mrs. R. B. McIlroy, Mrs. Averill (Colquitz); Mrs. H. D. Helmcken, Mrs. C. J. Bennett, (Colquitz); Mrs. E. I. D. Rhind, (Stockport, England); Mr. Isaac Walsh, Mr. J. R. Robbins, Mr. J. T. Dickson, Capt. Murray Thain, (Vancouver); Mr. A. G. Garrison, Mr. J. C. Mackay, Mr. S. G. Russell, Mr. H. Burnett, Mr. E. Baynes Reed, Mr. Hedley H. Bailey, Mr. S. J. Pitts, A. Friend, (Weymouth, England); The Navy League, (Victoria-Esquimalt branch); B. C.; The Colonist and Times daily papers, Capt. O. G. Harbell, (clothing) and Mrs. J. D. Pemberton, flowers. Cash donations, and monthly subscriptions in aid of the institute during the past month from the following are also gratefully acknowledged: Cash donations—Mr. G. L. Milne, M. D. Mr. N. Shakespeare, Capt. J. W. Trout, Victoria Chemical Co. Ltd., Ald. L. Goodacre & Sons, Mrs. M. R. Smith, Messrs. Pemberton & Son, Victoria Transfer Co. Ltd., Mr. D. E. Campbell. Monthly subscriptions—Mr. Wm. E. Laird (shipping master), Rev. C. E. Cooper, Miss Spurdel, The Bishop of Columbia, Mrs. Wm. Atkins, The Georgia Carter Co. Ltd., Mr. C. E. Whitham, Mrs. J. P. Hibben, Mrs. Herchmer, (per Mrs. Pemberton), Mrs. H. Allnutt, Mrs. E. McTavish, Mrs. J. D. Pemberton, Mr. E. J. Evers. During the past month literature was supplied by the institute to the crew of the steamship Tees to fishermen on the Skeena river and to the patients in the Marine hospital.

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The event of the year in the Cowichan district will take place today when the annual fall exhibition of the Cowichan Agricultural society will open at Duncans. For some time past the executive committee have been making active preparations for the event and judging from the number of exhibits that are in place the fair will be a very successful one. The district surrounding Duncans has long been noted for the fertility of the soil and its salubrious climate, and has earned the reputation of producing as fine vegetables and general market produce as any portion of British Columbia.

The Cowichan valley has also in past years turned out some magnificent specimens of fruit and grain but never has the quality of the products been so good as they are this year. The large hall in which the exhibition is held is well filled with a choice collection of farming products and makes a much better display than has been seen for several years in this district. At present considerable interest is being taken in the district, and it is not very likely that it will be at all diminished by what is shown at the exhibition that will open today. It is not only the farm produce that is expected to create such a good impression, but the cattle and horses are also expected to come to the front in good style.

It is a well known fact that the horses that are owned in and around Duncans are good specimens of the noble animal, and when the best of the large number that are owned in that section are brought together it will indeed be a noble collection of blooded stock. The conditions of the country as has already been said are good for farm produce, so it is with the cattle and stock and no better collection for its size will compare very favorably with any exhibition that is held in this vicinity.

The interest that is taken in this fair attracts attention from Victoria to Nanaimo and many Victorians will take advantage of the opportunity to visit the fair and incidentally their friends in this beauty spot in the wilderness.

Those who have not had the pleasure of visiting Duncans during the past few months will be considerably struck with the advancement that has been made and the Duncansites are proud of this unmistakable sign of prosperity.

Several new buildings have been erected and in general the town is witnessing a wave of good times that seldom fails to the lot of many of the rural districts.

In order that all Victorians and those residing at intermediate points who desire to do so may visit the fair, the E. & N. Ry. Co. has arranged a special excursion rate. The rate that has been secured is \$1.00 to Duncans and return from Victoria and a corresponding reduction from all other points. Tickets will be sold only till tomorrow evening. Children under 12 and over five will be charged half-price.

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NATIONAL PRISON ASSOCIATION.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 20.—Final sessions of the twenty-fourth annual Congress of the National Prison Association were held today. The meeting was the most successful in the history of the association, the attendance being considerably larger and embracing practically every state in the Union as well as many of the Canadian provinces. Officers were elected last night, and Chicago was selected as the place for the next congress.



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Rev. Dr. McCoy of Birmingham, Alabama, the representative from the M. E. Church South, was received to-night. For marvelous word-picturing, for stirring, enthusiastic, Methodist eloquence and appeal, he certainly reached the top notch of all preceding delegations. No telegraphic despatch can give adequate expression to the splendid oratory of the distinguished Southerner.

From the tone of the discussion in the education committee of the Methodist general conference this morning, the request from British Columbia for aid to establish a provincial university is not likely to be entertained for the present.

The steamer City of Seattle which drove ashore yesterday morning, when running at her usual speed, is one of the best known of the Alaska liners of the Pacific Coast Steamship company.

The steamer was bought by Capt. Roberts, Engineer Lent and associates at Philadelphia for the Alaskan trade during the palmy days of the Klondike rush and the venture was a paying one.

The vessel was afterward taken over by the Alaska Steamship company when that corporation was formed and later sold to the Pacific Coast Steamship company.

She was built at Philadelphia under orders from D. B. Jackson, and was completed in May, 1890, at a cost of \$225,000.

She has a steel hull with large house and her dimensions are as follows: Length, 240 feet; beam, 40 feet; and hold 15 feet; her net tonnage being 912.

A lighthouse and fog station was constructed recently on Trial island, the fog alarm having been placed in service during the recent foggy weather from mid-August last, but the light has not yet been established.

Mr. H. S. O'Kell was given charge of the station by the department of marine and fisheries and he recently took charge of his post.

The cargo will be taken out today and another attempt made at high tide to float the ship.

The temperature, prohibition and moral reform committee, in its recommendations to the conference, urges Methodists to attend primary meetings and put forth every effort to secure the return of parliamentary candidates who favor temperance, prohibition and moral reform.

The committee declares against any corporation that liquor trade out of public funds, and also declares that every municipality should have power to rid itself of the liquor traffic by a simple majority vote of the electors.

It regrets the increased spirit of gambling in Canada, notable instances of which it finds in the prevailing custom of ladies

spending much time playing games of chance under unhealthy excitement, to loss of money and other valuables and serious neglect of home life.

The committee calls upon parliament to enact legislation against the gaming houses and race tracks of the Dominion.

The book and publishing committee, after a hot discussion, decided to recommend the establishment of a church organ in Winnipeg, which will be devoted to the interests of the church in western Canada.

This discussion was brought about by the Manitoba delegates, who, securing the support of sufficient eastern delegates, managed to get the committee to alter its decision of yesterday in favor of improving the Guardian and the appointment of a western man as assistant editor.

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FOR SALE—Eleven miles from Victoria City, 317 acres of which 100 acres are under cultivation. This is one of the best farms on Vancouver Island—\$10,500. (2593)

FOR SALE—Somenos district, 100 acres, principally drained, beaver dam, excellent soil; 4 miles from E. & N. railway, on good roads—\$1,100. (2673)

FOR SALE—Prospect Lake, 100 acres with waterfront, boat house and dwelling combined; fine pleasure resort—\$2,650. (2624)

FOR SALE—Highland district, 173 acres, 28 acres cleared, 30 acres fenced; small house and barn; 100 acres of this is good bottom land—\$3,000. (2053)

FOR SALE—North Saanich, 120 acres, all fenced and cultivated; dwelling of 6 rooms, bath and pantry; running stream of good water; barn 40x70; stable for 20 horses; and 6 horses; 150 fruit trees in full bearing; new salt water 2 miles from railway—\$15,000. (2376)

FOR SALE—Cordova Bay, the great sunniest resort, 52 acres of which 3 acres are under cultivation. 8 acres slashed; balance good timber—\$3,400. (2312)

FOR SALE—Kokish River, 45 acres, of which 10 acres is under cultivation, 5 acres slashed; balance all good cedar; small shack and barn—\$400. (2333)

FOR SALE—Somenos district, 100 acres, of which there are 100 acres of bottom land, balance side hill, 1/2 acres of orchard, 30 acres under cultivation; dwelling of 7 rooms, barns and chicken houses, etc. Stock and implements may be purchased at a bargain—\$650. (2894)

FOR SALE—Salt Spring Island, 160 acres, of which 11 acres are cleared, 10 acres fenced; orchard of 100 trees; good view and close to schoolhouse—\$650. (2894)

FOR SALE—We have a large list of property on Salt Spring Island, and shall be pleased to furnish you with one.

FOR SALE—Lake district, 48 acres, of which 7 acres are slashed, 20 acres under bottom land, balance covered with small pine, overlooking Elk lake; 6 miles from city and close to railway—\$3,000. (2971)

FOR SALE—The whole of one island, containing 1,400 acres and two dwellings. For further particulars call or write. (2012)

FOR SALE—Gordon Head, 14 acres, all under cultivation; 5 rooms new dwelling, stable and outbuildings; 25 young fruit trees; 1/2 acres in strawberries; 2 cows, 1 calf, all as a going concern—\$10,000. (3253)

FOR SALE—Bennett street, overlooking Beacon Hill park, modern bungalow of 6 rooms, only two years old—\$2,350. (1032)

FOR SALE—Superior street, 9 rooms, modern dwelling and three city lots; the garden, full of fruit, flowers and shrubs; central and cheap—\$6,000. (1015)

FOR SALE—Lake District, only 6 miles from city, 11 acres and new bungalow, for \$2,500. (325)

FOR SALE—Oak Bay avenue, 1 lot and cottage of 5 rooms, bath, pantry and electric light. (538)

FOR SALE—3/4 acres in Mount Tolmie, covered with large and small oak trees; beautiful site for gentleman's residence. (2802)

TO RENT—Two well situated hotels, one furnished; to lease on very reasonable terms.

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FOR SALE—One acre and new modern bungalow on the Gorge car line; all under cultivation, fruit, flowers and shrubs—\$1,000. (694)

FOR SALE—Oak Bay street (James Bay), modern cottage and full sized lot—\$1,500. (512)

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SIMCOE ST.—7 room cottage; modern improvements—\$2,100.

UNAWGOO AVE.—2 lots; the two \$800.

WALLACE ST.—Just opened—\$200.

VANCOUVER, South of Fort—Corner lot; \$700.

RICHARDSON ST.—60x120; \$700.

MOSS ST.—4 lots, 80x90; \$250 each.

MOSS ST.—1 1/2 acres—\$1,600.

RICHMOND AVE.—60x135 lot; \$450.

CADBRO BAY RD.—Corner lot; \$425.

HULTON ST.—2 lots, 53x113 each; \$150.

COWAN AVE.—Half acre; \$260.

PORT ST.—7 room house; 60x120 lot; fine garden—\$3,500.

PORT ST.—Now 5 room cottage; 60x120 lot; all modern improvements—\$3,750.

BELCHER ST.—7 room cottage; 60x135 lot; \$2,000.

RICHMOND AVE.—9 room house and lot; \$2,500.

HULTON ST.—5 room cottage; 61x139 lot; fine garden, electric light; \$1,500.

OAK BAY AVE.—5 room cottage; 101; \$1,050.

OAK BAY AVE.—6 room house, lot; \$1,500.

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2 1/2 ACRES—Near Beacon Hill; splendid garden land—\$2,200.

2 CORNER LOTS—Dallin road; \$550.

300 ACRE FARM—Salt Spring Island, near Ganges Harbor; 30 acres cleared; \$4,500.

NEW MODERN HOUSE—5 minutes' walk from city hall; lot assessed for \$1,400; price \$3,200. Good terms.

CHOICE LOT—Garibaldi road; \$400.

NEW 6 ROOM, up-to-date house, James Bay; \$3,150.

2 STOREY HOUSE—Near Fountain Douglass street; sewerred; electric light; \$1,700.

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VALUABLE BUSINESS AND OTHER PROPERTIES

Specie tenders will be received up to Saturday, the 22nd inst., at 12 o'clock noon, for each of the following properties, the highest or any tender not necessarily accepted:

Lot 508, Boville Street, James Bay.
Lot 573, corner St. John and Quebec Streets, James Bay.
Lot 574, Quebec Street, James Bay.
Lots 477 and 478, corner, fronting on Chatham, Herald and Government Streets.
Lots 100, 110, 111, fronting on Store and Herald Streets, with frontage on Harbour.
Lot 452, Flisguard Street.
Lot 557, corner Blanchard and Johnson Streets.
Lot 251, corner Fort and Blanchard Streets.
Part of Lots 659 and 670, Douglas Street, 80 feet by 120 feet.
Part of Lots 659 and 670, Government Street, 80 feet by 120 feet.
Part of Lot 537, Johnson Street, 80 feet by 60 feet.
Westerly part Suburban Lot 40, Esquimalt Road, containing 8.10 acres.

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THE WEATHER

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, September 20-8 p. m.
SYNOPTIS.

The pressure is high over northern British Columbia but is low in the southern part of the province and in the North Pacific states, the centre of the disturbance being in Nevada. No rain has fallen today either east or west of the Rockies, and the weather has been fair in all districts, cool on the coast and in the Eastern provinces, but warm inland between the American ranges.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	48	64
Vancouver	49	61
New Westminster	46	64
Kamloops	56	66
Karlsruhe	52	46
Port Simpson	58	56
Atlin	33	49
Dawson, Y. T.	39	58
Calgary, Alta.	34	54
Winnipeg, Man.	50	70
Portland, Ore.	58	78
San Francisco, Cal.	52	62

FORECASTS

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time)
Foggy and cloudy. Light or moderate winds; generally fair and cool.
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds; chiefly cloudy and cool.

PERSONAL

F. D. Malcolm, of Winnipeg, is a guest at the Hotel Davie.

S. T. Conery, a well known Salt Spring Island rancher, is a guest at the Dominion, J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M. P. P., of Nanaimo, is a guest at the New England. He has been in the city several days.

Mrs. E. G. Wilson and Mrs. R. Wilson of Seward, Alaska, are at the King Edward.

Mrs. J. Devitt, Miss G. F. Devitt, and H. W. Devitt, of Crofton, are guests at the Dominion.

The Dominion of Sydney, N. S. W., who arrived about a month ago, has been visiting friends at Duncan, and has now returned to the city.

W. R. Robertson, the Indian agent at Duncan, was at the New England yesterday, but left for home during the afternoon.

Mrs. M. Kyder, accompanied by her three children, arrived from Arbroath, Scotland, yesterday, and are registered at the Balmoral. They are on a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Draney and family, Miss and Masters Jack and Harry Draney, came down from Nama yesterday. Mr. Draney is the owner of a large cannery situated there.

W. E. Norris, a real estate agent of Vancouver, is a guest at the Victoria. His partner, Mr. Ferguson of Vancouver, recently returned from a trip up the west coast, and is also at the Victoria.

Joseph D. and Mrs. Graham have returned from a brief but pleasant visit to Puget Sound cities, and are again stopping at the New England. Mr. Graham says the signs of progress in Seattle are enormous.

Alex. Kerr, purser of the City of Seattle, is a guest at the Driard with a number of passengers from the City of Seattle.

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THE PROVINCIAL GAZETTE.

Recent Government Appointments Are Announced in Official Paper.

The regular weekly issue of the provincial Gazette yesterday contains an order in council appointing Geo. A. Sketchton, Archie Robinson, Daniel E. Hyndman, James Eddie, George King, Thomas Duke, John B. Tiffen, William Towler, Vick Arthur E. Parsons, William D. George, Charles and A. S. Johnson, of Vancouver, to be commissioners for taking affidavits in the Supreme court of the Vancouver city electoral district, by Momox CSV, at HMBM, Comox, of Comox; Alberni elect SCV, at Comox electoral district, Harry McCloskey, of Victoria; H. H. McLean, of Victoria, of the Westminster city electoral district, Chas. Malcolm Nicholson, of New Westminster; Revelstoke electoral district, H. G. Gough and Harry Siegfried, of Revelstoke; Green wood electoral district, John Leheny; Boundary, Falls, Douglas, McMillan, and R. A. McLean, of the Esquimalt electoral district, James Foulds Johnson, of Esquimalt, to act as a license inspector upon the application of W. B. Hine, of Okanagan Falls, for a license under the Liquor License Act, known it.

Lewis Atkinson, of Fernie, to be a licensing commissioner for the Fernie license district in place and stead of A. C. Lillard, resigned.

Robert Keen Chapman and Charles Will Craig, of Vancouver, to be notaries public in and for the province.

James Anderson, of the city of Kaslo, stipendiary magistrate for the county of Kaslo, and for the small debts court, and for the assessor, mining division, including the city of Kaslo.

Hugh Smythe, of Revelstoke, to be a fence viewer, within and for the Revelstoke electoral district.

John Raymond, Jr., of Esquimalt, to be a deputy game warden for the Esquimalt electoral district.

Herbert Cecil Flewin, of Port Simpson, to be a government agent, registrar under the Marriage Act, and registrar of voters for the Skeena River, and assistant commissioner of lands and works, district registrar of births, deaths and marriages, gold commissioner and mining recorder for the Skeena River mining division, and collector of revenue tax for the Victoria assessment district, from September 2, 1906, during the absence of John Flewin, government agent.

Douglas Gralinger, of Canal Flats, to be a notary public in and for the province.

John Flewin of Port Simpson, to be a coroner in and for the province.

Dudley De Courcy Hutchinson, of Vancouver, to be a notary public in and for the province.

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An order in council was also passed ordering that no person shall hunt, trap, shoot at or kill or wound any black game or capercailzie throughout the province for a period of ten years from October 1.

Certificates of incorporation were granted the Bonanza Mining & Milling Co., with a capital of \$1,000,000; the Elk Valley Development Co., with a capital of \$20,000; the W. W. Stuart Lumber Co., with a capital of \$50,000.

An inspection trip.—Mr. S. Baxter, inspector of machinery, has gone to the interior to inspect the new sawmills at Mosqueta Harbor. He will also inspect the steam plants at Sechart Whaling station, Uchuck, and Clayoquot canneries and Bamfield cable station. Mr. Baxter will probably take in the Alberni mills and factories before he returns to Victoria.

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Local News

Old Lady Missing.—An aged inmate, named Miss Maria Blanchard, left the Home for Aged and Infirm Women on Wednesday afternoon, and has not been heard of since. As she was somewhat feeble-minded, the ladies of the committee are rather anxious about her, and anyone knowing her whereabouts will confer a great favor by notifying the secretary, Mrs. Gould, 13 Young street, or telephoning her to No. 1299. Search has been made for the missing woman by the ladies of the committee and by the police. It may be that she is in the care of some kind hands and is quite safe, but the ladies in charge of the institution would be immensely relieved to know it.

Death of a Pioneer.—Word has been received from Boston that Mr. Carl Strauss who was at one time a resident of this city had passed away at New Haven at the advanced age of 82. Mr. Strauss was well known to all early residents of this city with whom he was held in high esteem. Mr. Strauss came to Victoria in 1858, but could not resist the temptation to join the rush of gold seekers, and in 1862 he was found in Old Cariboo where he remained for several years returning to Victoria in 1870, when he went in the wholesale drygoods business which he carried on under the name of C. Strauss & Co. At that time he was the only drygoods merchant in the city and to him the miners came to purchase their outfit before leaving in their quest for the hidden treasure. Mr. Strauss previous to his death was enjoying fairly good health for a man of his age, but after a short illness he passed away at the first of the month.

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